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INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.56, §1.97, and §1.98, Applicants bring the following documents to the Examiner's attention in the above-referenced application:

1. EP Patent Doc. EP 0 113 516, dated July 18, 1984 by INMOS Limited;
2. High Speed CMOS 4-bit Microcomputer SM-550 Series, FUKUI et al., SSD82-44, December 1982, Japanese document (pp 107-109) (English translation included);
3. The TMS34010: An Embedded Microprocessor, K. M. GUTTAG, et al., *IEEE Micro*, vol. 8, no. 3, June 1988, pp. 39-52;
4. The IBM System/ 360 Model 91: Machine Philosophy and Instruction-Handling., D.W.Anderson et al., *IBM Journal*, January 1967, pp. 8-24;
5. GE 625/635 Programming Reference Manual, *General Electric*, July 1964, Rev. January 1966;
6. IBM RT PC Romp Processor And Memory Management Unit Architecture, Simpson & Hester, *IBM Systems Journal*, Vol. 26, No. 4, 1987, pp. 346-360;
7. i860 64-bit Microprocessor: Advance Information, February 1989; and
8. MIPS: A Microprocessor Architecture, John Hennessy et al., *IEEE*, 1982, pp. 17-22.

A PTO form 1449 listing these documents is enclosed.

The relevance of the attached references is that were cited in other applications of Applicant related to similar technology.

An English abstract/translation is provided to satisfy the requirement for a concise explanation of the relevance of the non-English reference, as provided for in M.P.E.P. §609(III)(A)(3).

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